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Dear Ms. Dixon, EIS Manager:,

I'm a student at Rosemary Clarke Middle School. My name is Bryan Maddy. My class and I are learning about Nuclear Waste and what it can do.

1 | I have many concerns about storing Nuclear Waste
inside Yucca Mountain Repository. I don't understand
why all of our country's waste has to come to Nevada.

2 | Why cant you shoot it to the moon and bury it there?

3 | Why not just make the states that produce it keep it?

4 | Something else that catches my attention are the
cask that will be keeping the waste "safe." Do you
really think that the test of the cask are thoroughal,
I don't, espeasily the dropping test. You should work
more on the test like dropping it from 100 to 150 ft
high.

The water test should be tested for 1 or 2 days.
The thermal test should be tested at higher
temperatures.

5 | My class and I are also worried about our water
supply. If there is a leak from a cask and it goes into
our water supply almost or all the people would get
contaminaded. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Bryan Maddy